#### FOREIGN NEWS.

THE WAR IN TURKEY.

THE ENGAGEMENT AT KLEK-HOPES OF AID FROM SERVIA AND MONTENEGRO-DISTRUST OF THE CONSULAR MEDIATION.

LONDON, Saturday, Oct. 2, 1875. The Times's special telegram from Ragusa says:

The insurgents attacked Klek, but were taken between two bolles of troops. Their ammonition falling, they were obliged to retroat. They left three dead, but brought off their wounded, numbering 17. The Standard's special telegram from Vienna this morning says the leaders of the insurrection are convinced that Servia and Montenegro will join in the war against Turkey by Spring.

BERLIN, Saturday, Oct. 2, 1875. The Belgrade Istok (newspaper), which is supposed to be a semi-official organ, advises the insurgents, if the Consuls insist upon further interviews, to receive them in camp and give them 25 lashes each. They will then be able to enter into the spirit of the Oriental question. While writhing under the lash, they will experience the sensation of the Christian rayah under the Turkish yoke.

THE SERVIAN AGENT COMPLAINS OF TURKISH IN-CURSIONS-THE INSURGENTS DEFEATED-A TOWN DESTROYED BY THE TURKS-REPORTED REVOLT IN

The Dip'om tie Agent of Servia has presented to the Porte and the Foreign Embassadors a dispatch complaining of fresh violations of the Servian frontier, and specifying among other acts an incursion of maranders, accompanied by Turkish troops, in which several persons were killed and a church was sacked and burned. The Agent today declared himself contented with the Grand Vizer's formal assurances that an order would be sent to Server Pasha to prevent the renewal of these frontier outrages.

Belghade, Saturday, Oct. 2, 1875. The insurgents have been defeated in an engage-

ment at Knin, in Northern Bosnia. It is reported that the Turkish troops have burned the town and church of Mischkovac.

The insurgents assert that the inhabitants of four villages near Acloua in Albania bave revolted.

## REFORM IN TURKEY.

AN IMPERIAL DECREE ISSUED-TAXATION REDUCED - ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCILS AUTHORIZED -TITHES TO BE GRADUALLY ABOLISHED. CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 3, 1875.

An imperial decree is published ordering that agricultural populations, which peacefully follow their avocations, be exempted from a fourth of the recently imposed tithes, and that they be relieved from the payment of arrears of taxes up to the financial year 1873-74, the latter exemption apply to well-to-do classes, are indebted to the Treasury. The decree further enacts that communities are to be represented in an adminis trative council by persons chosen as enjoying their confidence, and the reasonable demands of such representatives will be received with atten-Deputations from the annual General Assemblies are authorized to come to Constantino ple to submit to the Government their wishes. The Gov ernment is to decide which persons, enjoying the respect of their respective communities, shall be summ to time to Constantinople. The information obtained from them will serve a basis for reform measures. Special controllers to be appointed to insure the legal apportionment and collection of the taxes. A system is already under consideration to guarantee a just treatment of the population by the conversion of tithes into a ground-tax. The decree announces that the gradual realization of these re forms has been decided upon

# RIOTING IN TORONTO.

THE CATHOLIC PROCESSION GUARDED - STONE-THROWING PRACTICED-SEVERAL SHOTS FIRED.

TORONTO, Oct. 3 .- The pilgrimage of the Roman Catholics from church to church took place to day. After forming at their respective churches they marched to St. Michael's Cathedral, and, after a short service, they proceeded along Adelaide-st, to St. Mary' Church, Bathurst-st., a distance of a mile and a half From this point a part of the procession returned of the procession being accompanied by the police and a large body of military, ordered police and a large body of military, ordered out for the occasion. In the route of the procession the disturbance was much less than expected. As soon as the march from the cathedral began, strone-throwing. Ac., commenced, when the police charged on the assailants, firing several shots. On the march up Adelaidesst, several attacks with stories, Ac., were made, and at Eathurst-st, quite a number of shots were fired. One or two of the police and a number of others were seriously sounded, but no one killed as far as known. About 2,000 persons were in the procession, and the crowd at some points was estimated at 8,000. Everything is quiet now-9 o'clock p. in.

# THE LOSS OF THE VANGUARD.

ANOTHER COURT MARTIAL TO BE HELD. LONDON, Saturday, Oct. 2. The Army and Navy Gazette says that the

Admiralty has ordered a court martial to try the Captain of Her Britannie Majesty's steamship Iron Duke on ac. count of her collision with the Vanguard. It says further that it is rumored that the Admiralty has decided not to court martial Admiral Tarleton, notwithstanding the opinion of the recent court martial that the primary cause of the Vanguard disaster was the high rate of speed maintained by the vessels of the squadron by order of Admiral Tarleton. The Gazette says this is "a most extraordinary decision."

#### THE CARLIST WAR. THE BOMBARDMENT OF SAN SEBASTIAN.

SAN SEBASTIAN, Oct. 3, 1875.

The Carlists threw 150 shells into this city yesterday. The French are embarking on a French manof-war in the harbor. The garrison is expecting reenforcements.

# SPANISH AFFAIRS.

SABALLS AND GAMUNDI PURSUED-PROBABLE SET-TLEMENT WITH THE VATICAN.

BARGLIONA, Saturday, Oct. 2, 1875. Seven columns of Alfonsist troops are pursung the Carlists under Saballs and Gamundi in the province of Gerona. Rome, Saturday, Oct. 2, 1875.

Cardinal Simeoni is said to have made a report to the Vatican of his hopefulness of an arrangement

THE CORTES TO BE CHOSEN BY UNIVERSAL SUF-FRAGE

MADRID, Oct. 3, 1875. A decree is published reënacting the law of 1870, prescribing the election by universal suffrage of one Deputy for every 50,000 inhabitants. Municipalities are instructed to prepare the election lists. As the Carlists are being puf down, it is necessary that the elections should not be delayed.

#### THE FRENCH REPUBLIC. THE CABINET AGAIN IN ACCORD.

Paris, Saturday, Oct. 2, 1875. The letter of M. Say, Minister of Finance, explanatory of the objectionable passage in his speech on the 27th uit., has removed the difficulty occusioned by his remarks. Perfect unanimity prevailed throughout the Cabinet council yesterday.

#### THE CENTENNIAL EXHIBITION. A CENTRAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE APPOINTED AT FLORENCE-GOVERNMENT SUPPORT ASSURED.

FLORENCE, Oct. 3, 1875. A meeting of the Philadelphia Exhibition Committee was held here to-day. A Central Executive Committee was appointed. It will ait permanently in this city, and have the support of the Government and

# CHINESE AFFAIRS.

the Chamber of Commerce.

REPORTED SETTLEMENT OF THE BRITISH CLAIMS-NO OFFICIAL ACCOUNT BECEIVED - NOTHING DEFINITE EXPECTED FOR A DAY OR TWO. LONDON, Oct. 3, 1875.

The Observer has the following concerning

the difficulty with China: We understand the Foreign Office received no fresh telegram from Mr. Wade up to yesterday. No decisive intelligence is expected for the next day or two.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 3, 1875. The Indépendance Belge publishes a dispatch dated

Shanghai, Oct. 2, which reads as follows: According to the latest intelligence from Tientsin, which is to Sept 28, Mr. Wade is represented to have accorded in removing all difficulties, and war is im-probable.

LONDON, Saturday, Oct. 2, 1875. The Times, in its second edition to-day, has a special telegram from Rangoon saying :

has been concluded between China and Burmah.

AVOIDED AT MADRID.

THE CUBAN REVOLUTION. THE SPANIARDS DESCRIBED-FUTILE EFFORTS MADE TO EFFECT A COMPROMISE-THE QUESTION

Washington, Oct. 3.-Information received here from Havana shows that there is a great deal of dissatisfaction and uneasiness in Cuba among the wealthy Spanisrds at the prolongation of the insurrection, by which immense damage has resulted to all mate rial interests in the Island, the injury being incalculable. They have, therefore, united in a remoustrance to the Spanish Government against the continuance of hostile movements to suppress the insurrection, believing that by a wise policy peace may be reached between the contending parties without further bloodshed. Not succeeding in their efforts for conciliation and relief in that direction, the story comes from sources which are said to be trustworthy, that these wealthy Spaniards have either directly or indirectly proposed to the Cuba Junta at New-York to cooperate with it in such measures as may effect an accommodation between the contending parties, but that the Junta decline their overtures, de claring their determination to continue the war until the Cuba, shall have been secured.

There is no means of ascertaining the entire expense of this war on the part of Spain further than that \$40,000. 000 were expended for military purposes in one year, namely 1870-71, in Cubn, to say nothing of the fleet of gunboats in Cuban waters. The same official source says that the aggregate force under arms exceeded 100,000 men, more than half of whom were regular trobps, and that the losses of the Spanish army in Cuba exceeded 18,000 men. The insurgent forces at that time did not number more than 6,000 of all arms. It is in view of such wast expenses, without corresponding results, that prominent Spaniards, both in Cuba and Spain, are anxious for the execution of hostilities, but it is the opinion of persons at Madrid, as expressed in correspondence from Spain, that the want of stability in the Government and the prevalence of civil war in Spain excludes a consideration of the pacification of Cuba.

REPORTED SAIZURE OF CUBAN SUPPLIES.

REPORTED SEIZURE OF CUBAN SUPPLIES. The Spanish Minister at Washington, now in this city, has received, it is stated, a dispatch from the Spanish Consul at Kingston, Jamaica, informing him that the

TWO CUBANS SHOT BY THE SPANIARDS-FALL IN GOLD.

HAVANA, Thursday, Sept. 30, 1875. The Spaniards have court-martialed and shot Manuel De Zavas and Caledonio Acosta at Puerto The gold market is lower, consequent upon the recent

decree reëstablishing the premium on foreign gold.

### CUBAN AFFAIRS.

AN EX-MINISTER OF THE COLONIES TO BE SENT FROM SPAIN TO REGULATE THE FINANCES. MADRID, Saturday, Oct. 3, 1875.

Señor Rubi, former Minister of the Colonies, to Cuba, with unlimited authority to regulate the fluances. AMERICAN SAILORS ROBBED IN SPAIN. A TRAIN STOPPED BY BRIGANDS-SEVENTEEN OFFI-

The Government has determined to send

TO HAVE BEEN PLUDERED. LONDON, Monday, Oct. 4-5:30 a. m. A railroad train has been stopped by brigands between Saragossa and Barceiona, and all the passengers were robbed. Among them were 17 officers and seamen of an American man-of-war. As the United States steamer Franklin was announced to sail to norrow from Barcelona for Marseilles, it is supposed the

THE GERMAN PENAL CODE. AMENDMENTS PROPOSED RELATIVE TO CONSPIRACY AND DIPLOMATIC DISCIPLINE.

American victims of this outrage belonged to her.

BERLIN, Oct. 3, 1875. The Imperial Chancellor has submitted to the Federal Council amendments of the penal code, making instigntion to crime a panishable offense. He pro posed at the same time clauses relative to officials of the Foreign Office who are guilty of disobedience of instructions, violation of secreey of office, or of acting contrary to the rules relative to the custody of official documents

SEVERAL SCHOONERS DRIVEN ASHORE. HALIFAX, Oct. 3 .- Late advices from the Magdalen Islands give additional reports of wrecks by the gale of the 27th ult. The schooners M. Elizabeth of Gaysboro and Anemone of P. E. Island are ashore at Am, Gayshoro and Anemone of P. E. Island are ashore at Am, herst Harbor. No lives were lost. A brig or top-sail achooner is ashore at Grasse Isle and it is feared that all hands were lost. It is supposed to be a Canadian vessel, and is breaking up. Two bodies were found on the beach near the wreck. Three unknown schooners are ashore at Chalifeamp, C. B.

The schooner Edward Albro returned to St. John's, N. F., vestershy, with loss of head sails and goar, from the effects of a gale on the 27th ult. Thomas Ryan, mate, fell off the jubboom and was drowned.

Vessels have gone to saye the onesterel and outlit of the American schooner Martha L. Pike, previously reported ashore. She had 300 barrels of fish on board.

# THE WEST INDIES.

MUCH DAMAGE DONE BY STORMS IN JAMAICA AND HAYTI - SEVERAL MARINE DISASTERS - THE STEAMER SHANNON A TOTAL WRECK.

Kingston, Jamaica, Sept. 25.-Jamaica has had its share of the tempestuous weather which has prevaried lately in these latitudes. There has been severe blowing at several points on the coast, and deluges of rain have fallen, while severe thunder-storms have isited many localities. Much damage was done at Port Maria and Falmouth, and other places. Among the vessels which have suffered more or less damage are the brig Empress of Halitax, the Chilian of Lunenburg, the brigautine Messenger of Autwerp, and the Electric from Jacust, Harti, Sept. 17.-The bad weather commenced

on Friday night, with a heavy ground swell, and con-tinued till Sunday, when we had a strong gale from the eastward. The two wharves here are broken. All the oasters, lighters, and boats were driven ashore and the majority of them dashed to pieces. Several sheds on the senshere were broken up by the force of the waves. The schooner Agnes (a condemned American schooner) was stranded for the second time. The Atlas line steamer Andes arrived yesterday from Aux Cayes, where she was detained seven days by unfavorable weather. She reports two foreign vessels ashore, also several consers, and the wharf blown down. The English brig Oliver from New-York has arrived here. The steamelip Ena, which left here on Saturday, the 11th inst., met with very bad weather shortly after. She fell in with the Alps, then near this port, from New-York, and reported that she had been compelled to throw several articles overboard in consequence. At Holian dear, in the east, and along the north coast the storm was most severe. The Hallan brightness of the solar is reported box. The royal mail steamer shannon is reported a total wreck on the Pedro Bank. Her commander was ill in bed at the time of the disaster, and the chief officer had only taken charge a few minutes before she struck, running 13 knots an hour. Nearly all the plantain trees are blown down, but very little injury was done to the pending coffee crop.

PORT AU PRINCE, Sept. 18.—There is a runner of a serious fire in St. Marc. Nothing definite is known as yet. On the 4th prox. the Chambers will be opened. Coffee is very scarce; the price is \$1.502.\$16, and nominal. Andes arrived yesterday from Aux Cayes, where she was

# CANADIAN COMMERCIAL TROUBLES.

A LUMBER FIRM IN DIFFICULTIES-FLIGHT OF A MONTREAL MERCHANT.

MONTREAL, Oct. 2.-Shephard, Hall & Co., umber merchants of Boston, who failed yesterday, have r many years done an extensive business in this city. Their fullure will have a bad effect on the Canadian lumber trade. It is generally believed that a number of tealers in the Ottawa district will suffer directly by the disaster. Heavy dealing, with a depreciation in the price of lumber, is the chief cause of the failure. The firm will immediately call a meeting of their creditors and make a statement of their affairs. About \$300,000 s due several banks in this city, which is covered by collaterals. As the assets are very heavy, it is supposed collaterais. As the assets are very heavy, it is supposed but little loss will full on them. A merchant of this city sold his stock secretly this week for \$5.0,000, and is secreted preparatory to escap-ing. Detectives are searching for him in disceptiable houses, where it is suspected he is. His name is with-

THE COLOMBIAN REPUBLIC. INTERVIEW BETWEEN REAR-ADMIRAL MULLANY AND THE PRESIDENT-ELECT-FRIENDLY ASSURANCES EXCHANGED.

Kingston, Jamaica, Sept. 25 .- The Panama

Star and Herald of Sept. 21 says:

Resr-Admiral J. R. M. Mullany, United States Navy, commanding the North Atlantic Squadron, and now at Aspinwall in his flassing, the Worcester, came over to this city yesterday morning on a special train, to call officially on the President of the State. In company with other others who accompanied him, he called at the Government House, and in the absence of President Miro diversement House, and in the absence of President Miro was received by Dr. Pablo Arosemena, President Miro diversement House, and in the absence of President Miro diversement House, and in the absence of President Miro diversement House, and in the feet of the House of the Aspinwall, visit Panains, and call on the Executive power of the State, for the purpose of acquainting the authorities there with the views and sentiments of the United States Government with respect to the situation of affairs in Colombia and its bearing on the interests of American citizens on the Isthmus. "Should it occur that the transit could not find protection, either from the General Government or the State, when needed.

the Government at Washington, however reluctantly, would take a direct action in the matter on its own responsibility.

Dr. Pablo Arosemena explained to the Admiral what

Dr. Pabio Arosemena explained to the Admiral what he understood to be the present state of affairs on the Istimus and the Republic in general. There was now every prospect, he thought, of a solid peace between the Federal and State Governmenta. Official relations had been reëstablished between Panama and the Government of the Union, in proof of which the usual national forces for the protection of the transit were expected by next steamer, and would be well received by the Government. There was never any danger to the safety of the transit, which the people and authorities always respected for the benefit it brings to the country.

The Admiral expressed himself glad to find matters on the Isthmus and in the Republic more favorable than he expected, and hoped that there would be still greater improvements in all things concerning the progress and welfare of the country.

THE SOUTH AFRICAN DIAMOND FIELDS. REPORTED DISCOVERY OF A LARGE DIAMOND. LONDON, Saturday, Oct. 3, 1875. The Cape steamer brings a report that a diamond of 150 carats has been found at Kimberly, in the

# South African diamond fields.

FOREIGN NOTES. Queen Victoria recently instructed Col. Ponsonby to address the following letter to Lord Exeter, the Commodore of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club:

Commodore of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club:

It has appeared in the course of the recent inquiry at Gosport that it is a common practice for private rachts to approach the Royal yacht when Her Majesty is on beard, from motives of loyalty or curiosity. It is evident that such a proceeding must at all times be attended with considerable risk, and in Summer, when the Solent is crowded with vessels, such maneuvers are extremely dangerous. The Queen has, therefore, commanded me to request that you will kindly assist Her Majesty in making known to all owners of yachts how earnestly the Queen hopes that this practice, which may lead to immentable results, should be discontinued.

This communication has created considerable common.

tion in London, where it is regarded as a reproof to the verdict of the coroner's jury censuring the officers of the

Paris, Oct. 3 .- M. Ducuing, Liberal Member of Assembly for the Department of the Hautes-Py renees, is dead.

Constantinople, Oct. 3 .- The Governor of Bagdad telegraphs to the Porte, denying the truth of the report that a Jew had been murdered in that city by the Turks.

COMMENTS ON THE PRESIDENT'S SPEECH.

President Grant has been doing what is an unusual thing for him in making quite an extended speech.

As belitted the occasion, the address seems to have had only a general application, and in that sense will be accepted.—[Bultimore American (Rep.) It was a very happy speech of the Presi-

lent at Des Motnes yesterday, and will add to the respect we must entertain for one who holds such excellent riews. It had about it the true ring and touched the key-hole of popular feeling quickly.—[Albany Express Rep.) President Grant has made a speech; not one

In this speech the President has entered upon CERS AND CREW OF THE FRANKLIN SUPPOSED

moral training.—[Boston Advertiser (Rep.)

The President, for a wonder, has made a speech of some length, and it is decidedly as good as it is long. As the President says, the next great national contest will be between patriotism and intelligence on one side, and supersition, ambition and interligence on the other. The President will surprise many with the reach of these thoughts, but those who know him will not be surprised that he is whelly on the right side of the great issues he outlines.—[Boston Journal (Rep.)

The speech of Gen. Grant will surprise the

And now President Grant has broken his silence, made a platform of his own, and flong his third-term banner to the breeze in defiance of all party organizations. It will be accepted as the dying agontes of a mad amoition, and it will be remembered in the long hereafter that a great soldier was wise in silence through years of honor and success, and fell proben on the altar of his greed for power, as he unsented his lips to flug wild vagaries into the face of his lingering worshippers.

[Philadelphia Times (Ind.) And now President Grant has broken his

It will not do to accuse the President hereafter of the incapacity to make a speech. More important than the fact of the speech is the tone and manner of its delivery. A good many persons will be apt to see behind this new round power of the President a peetly clear purpose to retain his hold upon the popular attention. It revents the fact that General as got the centennial blea into his mand. The adaptation of the speech to the latitude of Ohio at this juncture is too evident to escape my body. The fact that it was spoken in flow will make no difference in the use that will be made of it. Now let our sententions President tell is who is his centennial candidate.—[Boston Herald (ind.)

Without polish or attempt at rhetoric be.

Without polish or attempt at rhetoric, he Without points are topics with characteristic terseness, and gives to the world a number of engrams which are worthy of a finished statesman. No one will deny the soundness of his views, and if will be conceded that the time for their utterance by some one in whose particular the people had confidence had fully come. He probably recognized this fact, and had the courage required to utter them—a kind of courage which no more relitician has ever been possessed of. In short, every word and line of this remarkable and timely address will live in history and investigate of the determined participition of a main is remarkable and timely address will live as man a flustration of the determined patriolism of a man se title to leadership as a civil officer will now no zer be contested.—[National Republican (Wash. Adm.

# THE FIRE RECORD.

LOSS OF TWO CHAUTAUQUA LAKE STEAMERS. BUFFALO, Oct. 3.—The steamers Jamestown and M. A. Griffith were burned at Chautanqua Lake Friday night. The cause of the fire is unknown. The Jamestown was worth about \$25,000; insured for \$15,000; and the Griffith was worth about \$19,000; is sured for \$5,000.

WINTERSET, IOWA, COURT-HOUSE DESTROYED. DES MOINES, Iowa, Oct. 3 .- A fire broke out the Court-house at Winterset, Iowa, yesterday, and in 30 minutes the great dome, 186 feet high, fell with a crash. In one hour, nothing was left of the Court-house. except the ruins. The prisoners in the jail, in the base-ment of the building were resented, and the county records were all-aved. The Court-house was comparatively new and cost \$110,000.

DESTRUCTION OF THE KINGS COUNTY NURSERY. A fire occurred on Saturday evening in the county building at Flatbush, Long Island, used as a nursery and as the washing and ironing department causing a loss of \$10,000. The fire broke out about 72, p. m., between the floor and ceiling of the western end of the building, immediately over the ironing stove. The flames spread with great rapidity and soon made a total wreck of the building. Engines were promptly sum moned, but could do little service. The building was three atories in hight and 150x140 feet. It was built in 1863 and was not insured. Within the building at the time the fire broke out were 49 infants and their nurses and 65 old, helpless women, all of whom were removed without injury. The fire was probably accidental in its origin. and caused by the bursting of the ironing stove. The inmates of the County Lanatic Asylum, which is near the Nursery, looked upon the fire as a spectacle prepared for their entertainment, and crowded to their windows to look at the sight. An investigation into the cause of the fire was immediately begun by the Fire Marshal.

# IN THIS CITY.

The bedroom furniture of Julia Kramer, at No. 235 Elizabeth-st., was damaged to the value of about \$100 early yesterday morning by fire, caused by the bed be-coming ignited from some unknown cause.

A fire occurred on Saturday evening in the basement of No. 48 Greenwich-st., occupied by Sarah Davis as a shoe store, and causing a damage of \$1,000 to the stock, upon which there is no insurance. The building is owned by John O'Brien, and is damaged about \$500, the loss being covered by insurance. A fire was discovered on Saturday night on the fourth

floor of No. 249 Washington-st., occupied by S. H. and E. H. Frost, fruit dealers, whose loss on stock is estimated at \$2,500. The first floor was occupied by B. H. Villines. fruit dealer, whose loss by water is about \$1,000. The building is damaged about \$500. The losses are all covered by insurance. IN STAPLETON, STATEN ISLAND.

THE CLEARFIELD RIOTERS.

CLEARFIELD, Penn., Oct. 3 .- Yesterday Siney took the stand in his own defense. He testified that the purpose of his visit to the mining regions was in compli

ance with requirements of the constitution of the Miners' National Union, to ascertain the actual condition of saffairs, and whether the strikers were entitled to receive pecuniary assistance from the Union. He emphatically denied that his speeches were incendiary, asserting that his advice and influence was to repress disorder, and that, upon realizing that his efforts were unavailing, he was preparing to leave the region when he was arrested.

WASHINGTON'S NEWBURGH HEADQUAR-

THE BUILDING CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC. NEWBURGH, N. Y., Oct. 3 .- The trustees of Washington's Headquarters closed the building to the public yesterday, and will keep it closed until the City of Newburgh or the State of New-York is willing to reopen and provide for its protection. This is done for lack of funds. The Legislative appropriation of last Spring of \$1,090 yearly did not become a law until May, and the Controller, under the decision of the Deputy Attorney-General, re-fuses to allow the appropriation this year at all. The Common Council of this city voted an appropriation, but the Mayor vetoed it, leaving the trustees without funds.

A NEW SEVENTH REGIMENT ASSOCIATION

THE VETERANS ON THE PACIFIC GIVE A SUPPER AND ORGANIZE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 3 .- The ex-members of the New-York 7th Regiment resident in San Francisco gave a banquet Friday night at the Maison Doree, and organized the Society of the 7th Regiment Veterans of

The following gentlemen were elected officers: Captain, T. Gerrington; First Lieutenant, Joseph Durbrow; Second Lieutenant, Wm. R. Whenton; First Sergeant, Edward Taylor: Second Sergeant, Henry G. Langley; Third Sergeant, Francis A. Bounard : Fourth Sergeant W. Vonschmidt ; First Corporal, Isane Bluxome ; 8 Corporal, Cornelius Stagg; Third Corporal, Robert J. Tiffany; Fourth Corporal, Emille H. Jacquelin; Company

The following dispatch from New-York, received in the nidst of the feativities, caused great enthusiasm: Col. W. R. Sambargo, Maison Dorée, San Francisco The veterans of the 7th Regiment have our remembrance

It was determined during the evening to send a testimonial to the active members of the 7th Regiment, to be competed for by them as a prize for marksmanship at

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OLIVER R. STEELE.

Oliver R. Steele, a well-known office lawyer in this city, died suddenly on Saturday morning, after a brief fluess. He was born at Newington, Conn., in 1828. and was graduated at Trinity College, Hartford. After teaching school successfully in Hariem for several years Donohue, was admitted to the bar about 1857, and confinued in the active practice of his profession until his death last work was done as counsel in the Park Theater litiga devotion to his citents were recognized and valued by a wide circle of friends. In politics he was a Tammany Democrat. He preferred devoting himself to his profes ston rather than striving for official advancement. It 1859 he married Miss Elizabeth Schlen of Norwich, Conn. who, with three children, survives him.

# WATERSPOUTS IN NEW-MEXICO.

SEVENTY-NINE HOUSES IN LAS CRUCES SWEPT

AWAY. St. Louis, Oct. 3 .- A correspondent of The Globe-Democrat at Las Cruces, New-Mexico, says that a great water-spout soudenly appeared in the hills, a mile back of the town, at 5:30 p. m. on the 11th of September, and before the citizens had time to comprehend the impeding calamity it was upon them. A tall dark column than ten minutes from the time of its observance sixty-three houses had been instead to the ground. The streets were soon flowing four or five feet deep with water, and the current was of such great strength that boulders of Two hours later the rain fell in torrents, and continued several hours. In all the wreeg and rum tortunately not

Sin: Can you find space in your columns for profest against the unfortunate arrangements of dates

for Symphony Concerts by Mr. Theodore Thomas and the Philharmonic Society for the coming season in New-York ! The prospectus of the Philharmonic Society was the last published, and that, in addition to the fact that Mr. Thomas's plans are complicated and have to do with many cities in the Union and therefore cannot be changed, leads us to look to the Philharmonic directors for a change of date for three of their concerts (the first, third, and sixth) which are advertised for the same evenings with the three corresponding concerts of Mr. Thomas's orchestra. There are many lovers of good music who habitually subscribe to both sets of concerts and rehearsals, and who are very much disappointed because hearsals, and who are very much disappointed because of the present clashing of dates. Mr. Thomas is not dependent upon the Philharmonic Society for reinforcement of his orchestra for his New-York concerts. But his "extra men" are usually taken from the Philharmonic membership; and they, if not Mr. Thomas, will be the losers if the desired change be not made.

Cannot the Philharmonic managers be induced to do away with a state of affairs for which it is responsible, and which not only gives disappointment to the two classes mentioned but also is, in a measure, suicidal? In the prosecution of real art there should not be even a suspicion of neworthy rivalry.

Litchfield, Conn., Oct. 1, 1875.

# PRAISE OF GOV. TILDEN.

To the Editor of The Tribune Str: My admiration for Gov. Tilden is as high as any man's. His regime thus far demands the respect and praise of all lovers of good government; so I conider Gov. Tilden, and so were my views expressed in THE TRIBUNE of Sept. 16. But I observe that an "Andrew Jackson Democrat" sends a protest to THE TRIB-USE against the "underhand detraction," as he calls it, rom "Gov. Tilden's noble work," and proceeds to deal

rather harshly with my letter. That the "Jacksonian argues more for Gov. Tilden and my views than he does

for snything else is very clear, and I think he will say

the same himself, if he will calmly review his own letter.

"It is a matter for surprise and commendation when a Governor makes plunderers disgorge," and I reassert that it is deserving of praise. But to keep continually sounding the trumpet of praise and interminging therewith occasionally a little flattery, although it "sometimes does well," is very often productive of oud results, gloomatch graise has rained Grant, and I might say, almost the Republican party. Now this I hope will not come to pass in the case of Gov. Tilden. Let every new move our Governor makes toward reform receive a fair amount of praise. Then when much praises begin to wane it will attainable him to begin further search for wrong doers, until at last he has branly endeared himself to the people by excellent management in freeling the State from all majust incumbrances, be they either in the form of expenditures or mere office-holding politicians. There have been in the past so many hypocrifical adjocates of reform that when Gov. Tilden first came forth many were tempted to look upon his actions with a slight degree of suspicton, but now that he has gone so far in the work, the real reform begins to show itself. "The work goes travely on," and I trust he will be refur the people, but that he will be rewarded, if he so merits it, with the fallest connicting of the eatire nation. sounding the trumpet of praise and interminging there oklyn, Sept. 28, 1875.

A PRETENDED SPIRIT MEDIUM EXPOSED.

A pretended exhibition of spirit power in the large hall of the Tammany Hall building, in Fourteenth-st., last evening, was broken up with much confusion and excitement. George Willis, who claimed to be a nedime, attempted to show his ability to ring bells and do various other feats after he had been tied by a committee chosen from the audience, and his arms had been inclosed in wire cases. But the imposture was detected by members of the committee, and it was found that Willis drew his arms from the wire cases and Early yesterday morning a fire broke out in slipped from the cords which bound him sufficiently far to enable him to perform the tricks the three-story double frame house on Prospect-st., Stapleton, Staten Island, and before assistance could arrive which he declared were done by the aid of spirits. the building was entirely consumed. The house, owned When the fraud was denounced by a member of the com. and occupied by Frederick Langer, and two other families named Herm and Pepper, was valued at \$5,000, and insured in the Jefferson Insurance Company for \$3,000. fied from the building. There was a large number of permittee, Willis and his business manager and ticket-taker

sons present, who were much enraged at the imposture, some of whom rushed upon the platform, broke the spurious medium's casket, and carried away his apparatus. It is believed that Willis and those who were associated with him made a considerable sum of money.

### MIDNIGHT WEATHER REPORT.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Monday, Oct. 4-1 a. m.
Synopsis for the past 24 hours.
The barometer has risen in Dakota, but is low in the Upper Mississippi, the Lower Missouri Valleys, and the upper lake region, with variable winds, partly cloudy weather, and occasional rain in the Upper Mississippi Valley. South-east to south-west winds, falling barometer, clear or partly cloudy and warmer weather over the lower lakes, the Middle and Eastern States and the Ohio Valley.
North-east to south-east winds, cloudy and warmer weather, and high but diminishing pressure prevail in the South Atlantic and Guif States and Temessee, and rain in Texas.

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The rivers have risen at St. Paul and Nashville, and fallen at Cairo and Vicksburg.

Probabilities.

For the Middle and East Atlantic States, falling barometer, south-west to south-wast winds, warmer and partly cloudy weather.

For the South Atlantic and Guif States falling barometer, north-east to south-east winds, warmer, cloudy weather and rainy.

For the Onio Valley, Tennessee, and the lower lakes, falling barometer, higher temperature, increasing cloudiness, and south-east to south-west winds.

For the upper lakes, the Upper Mississippi and the Lower Missouri Valleys, slowly rising barometer, stribmary followed by lower temperature, partly cloudy or cloudy weather and occasional rains, with variable winds, slifting to north, and frosts.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 3.-A large and enthusiastic Democratic mass meeting was held in Horticultural Hall last night, with speeches by the Hon. D. Milton Spear, W. J. Stinger, and others. A grand torchlight procession also took place, and was an impos-

THE ENDOWMENT OF THE NEW WILLARD COL-

LEGE. EVANSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 3 .- Willard Carpenter will to morrow file for record deeds conveying a half mil-lion dollars worth of city property to the College founded by him, which is to be called Willard College.

#### FROST IN TENNESSEE.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 3 .- There was a heavy white frost in this vicinity yesterday. But little damaged by the cotton crop.

NOMINATION TO THE STATE SENATE. AUBURN, N. Y., Oct. 3 .- The Democrats of this district on Saturday nominated Charles F. Durston of this city for Schator.

#### CULTURE FOR PHYSICIANS. To the Editor of The Tribune.

Six: In reporting the remarks made by me at the opening exercises of the College of Physicians and Surgeons last night you represent me as saying: " Some cears ago there were found alumni of academic institutions to enter the profession. Now the tendency was rather in the opposite direction." What I did say was: Years ago few alumni of academic colleges entered the profession of medicine, but now more than 17 per cent of the men who come here have had the advan-tage of a previous classical and scientific course." Hoping you will make the correction, I am yours, &c., New York, Oct. 2, 1875. C. R. AGNEW.

### NAVAL INTELLIGENCE.

# THE STATE OF TRADE.

PRINTING CLOTHS MARKET. PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 2.—Printing Cloths—Market was more active during the past week, with sales of 60,000 pieces; privace caster on the week, closing at 4 2/4 4/4c. for samutard and Extra 51:54, with one small sale reported at a shade

# PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

PROM LIVERPOOL—In starmin'i p City of Richmond, Oct. 3.
Thomas Kenny, Miss N. Holm, John S. Moss, Kenny, John Bergen, John Bergen, Goldin, John Bergen, Miss Englen, Miss Englen, Miss Englen, Miss Englen, Miss Englen, Miss A. W. Humm. Hobertson, M. Sells, John O'Connor, Rev Chas. Frankt, Dr. John Morris, Mrs. Morris, Most Carrie Morris, Charles Holden, M. Appel and child, Wh. Seymett. F. Flak, (l. Smith, Mrs. Smith, F. Fartherne, Mrs. C. Kett, James T. Woed, F. Maitland Dougall,

# PASSENGERS SAILED.

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FOR LONDON—In steamship Eria, Ort. 2.—Mr. Holroyde, Mr. Welberly, Ambrose Marriott, Lieut, Irgen, J. W. Paylor, Altred Marshall, Mrs. Same Laxton, Osward Petre, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Pinley, J. B. Hellmuth, Mrs. Charles A. Dana, two children and two misses Sixtyrgary Jonasson.

FOR BRISTOL—In steamship trees Western, Oct. 2.—Henry James Hell, Moss Annia Trasscrit, James H. Tompkins, Joseph Korscake, Thomas Gould, wife, and two children, Charles Alley, Richard Matthews and wife, Min. 8 Suell.

FOR SAVANNAH—In steamship San Sairdidor, Oct. 2.—J. C. Enjon, B. S. Reynolds, T. S. Sloat, Robert M. Floyd, H. E. Josselyn and wife, G. Orr, Geo, von Seyboid, Alexandra Oleson, R. Van Honchton, Mrs. J. N. Divine and child, Mrs. Nora Wallace, E. Haywood, Mrs. A. L. Riley and 2 children, Mrs. A. F. Filmi and 2 children, Mrs. A. F. Filmi and 2 children, Mrs. Mary Bosters, Miss Julia Bowers, Master Lioye Bowers and murse, A. Fulla ton and wife, Miss Mary G. Johnson, Mrs. E. Mansen, J. P. Shephen, Win, Smith, Osen, W. Green, Sammel Sample, John Robersson, Win, Bonigan, John N. Mosemeyer, John Bricke, J. Stapleton, James Hart, A. T. Ranchil, John Kirk, J. Fuller.

#### LATEST SHIP NEWS. For other Ship News see Fifth Page.

Steamship City of Richmond (Br.), McChieny, Liverpool Sept. 23, and Queenstown 21th, with mass, and pass, to J. G. Dale.

Sept. 25, and tyneemstown 24th, with minder and pack to 3. Dale. Steamship W. A. Scholten (Dutch), Jansen, Rotterdam Sept. 19, with midse, and pask to Funch, Edye & Co. Steamship Mosel (Ger.), Neyniber, Bremen Sept. 18, and Senthampton Tlat, with midse and pask to Cellrichs & Co. Steamship Sam Weiler (Br.), Rankon, Belfast Sept. 10, in ballast to Tapacott Hrox.

Steamship Kunkerwocker, Kemble New-Orleans Sept. 25, with midse and pask to Clark & Seaman.

Steamship City of Galveston, Evans, Savannah Sept. 39, with midse and pask to Wm. it. Garrison.

Steamship Albemarle, Gibbs, Lowes, with midse, to Old Deminion Steamship Co. Stramship Albelharie, Gibbs, Lowes, with indise, to Old Do-Stramship E. C. Knight, Chichester, Georgetown, D. C., with indise, and pass to J. C. Keuyon.

Steamship Giancias, Bearso, Boston, with indise, and pass to H. F. Dimock.

Steamship Wyanoke, Couch. Richmond, City Point, and Nor folk, with indise, and pass, to Old Dominion Steamship Co. Ship City of Boston (of Boston), Crosby, Liverpool 52 days, in ballast. Bark Amaranth (Nor.), Gundersen, London 41 days, in bal-Bark August Loeffler (Nor.), Olsen, Tredestrand 51 days, in

hallast. Bark Henry (Ger.), Minsse, Hamburg 48 days, with mdse, Bark Keng Carl (Nor.), Knudsen, Antwerp 40 days, with mass.

Bark Countess of Errol (of Peterhead), Taylor, Mong Kong

Brig La Cayenne of Halifax). Barker, Portan Prince 20 days, with log-wood.
Brig J. Williams (of Windsor, N. S.), Williams, Para Ang. 17, via Barhadees 13 days, in bullear, Recorded to the Service of Calaist, Robbins, Mexico 20 days, with makegair. Ac.
Sehr. Mary A. Hyar (of New-Haven), Hodedon, Port Antonio 20 days, with make.
Sehr. Virginia, Bullea, Bales, Calaist, Robbins, Mexico 20 days, with make. nio 20 days, with misse. Schr. Virginia Rulen: Rulen, Brunswick, Ga., 5 days, with lumber.
Schr. Martha M. Heath. Histon, Jacksonville 12 days, with Schr. Neille, Colletson, Georgetown, S. C., 5 days, with naval

Sehr. Amoy, Knapp, Nantucket, with fish,
Schooning—Hyng And Coastwise.

J. H. Knapp, Portsmouth.
E. M. Sunth, New-Bedford.
Surprise, Fall River.
E. H. Clark, Providence.
G. H. Markel, New Haven.
Maria Fleming, Norwich.

BELOW.

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Steamship fillels, for Liverpool.

Wind D-Sumset, medicata, 8.; clear.

FORERION PORTS.

PLYROUTH, Oct. 3.—The Hambury American Line steamship Ponomerania, Schwensen, from New York Sept. 23. actived here yesterday, and proceeded to-day for Hamburg.

LONDON, Oct. 2.—Salled for ports in the United States. Karen Nicholson, Amor. Torean Pleasas, Calian, Edward, Helvetia, Arrived out Sept. 23. Rosa del Turia, J. H. Dewolf. Sept. 30. Advocate, A. H. Stromack. Oct. 1: Robert Godfrey, Republik, last two at Deal; Rachores, latter in the Channel, Famile P. Jennie Arnsstrom. Albertine Mey r. Forganhall. Hope, Jennie Arnsstrom. Albertine Mey r. Forganhall. Hope, Kaleva, Vug. Trino, Esp., Guiseppe Massens, Oct. 23. He dorter, Charger, Friscone e Devois, Albany, Harry Ralley, Antandaie, Illanco, Tarasia, Impero, Mercurius, Norsk Vertias—Latter at London.

WASHENGTON, Oct. 3.—The Signal Service observer at Cape May reports. A sein, leaded with marble is reported asbure at Townsend's Inlet, 20 miles from Cape May. Name unknown.

SPOKEN.

Sept. 26, lat. 39-30, long. 65, bark Ambrosia (Nor.), from Pillau for New York.

DR. COLTON, at the Cooper Institute, originated the use of Laughing Cas twelve years ago, and has siven it since then to S5,000 patients without a faintee or accident.

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### DIED.

BAIRD—At Towanda, Penn. Friday, Sept. 24, Samuel Bairl, in the 97th year of his age.
Bridgeport papers please copy.
BRIGGE—Oct. I. Mrs. Mary Bridge, aged 87 years.
Functal services at the residence of her son-in-law, William P.
Libby 48 First-place, corner Cintenast. South Brooklyn, on Monday, Oct. 4, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

ONTOIT-At his residence, John H. Contoit, in the 88th

year of his age.

The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend
the faneral from Triuity Chapel, West Twenty of thest, near
Broadw.y. on Tuesday morning next, at 10 o'clock.
DE RIVERA-Sunday, the 3d inst. Juanita Maria, only child
of Thomas and Adolino de Rivera, aged 5 years, 2 months,
and t.day. and 4 days.

Notice of funeral in Tuesday's papers.

HEGEMAN-On Sunday, Oct. 3, suddenly, William Hogeman, aged 50 years. Notice of funeral hereafter.

Now York.
The remains of Mrs. Henry will be brought un from Monmouth
Beach this morning, and the funeral will take place on Tues-day morning, at \$8.50 o'clock, from the residence of her father,
No. 3.7 Fifth-ave.

Street Depot at 12 m., retorning leaves Management Street Depot at 12 m., retorning leaves Management J., wife of Rev. W. W. Newell, D. D.
The relatives and friends of the family, together with those of the relatives and friends of the family, together with those of the relatives and friends of the family.

law, Jacob Sharp, eag., No. 320 West Twenty-third at, Edgar Rogers, aged 38 years. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully in-vited to attend his funeral from the above residence on Monday, the 4th inst., at I oblock p. m., without further in-vitation. His remains will be taken to Greenwood for inter-

SHEDDEN-Neille, infant daughter of John W. and Eliza A. Shedden. SMITH-At Fortland, Me., Sept. 27, 1875, James Smith, form erry of this city, agod 80 years. STANCLIFF—On Friday, Oct. 1, of Bright's disease, in the fifth year of her age, Harriet N., beloved wife of Geo. Stancilli, lelatives and friends of the family are respectfully in vited to attend the funeral from the Church of the linky Trunity, Porty-second at, and Madison are, on Monday Oct. 4, 41 2 p. m.

# TITUS-On Thursday, Sept. 30, of pneumonia, N. Hallock

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Republican Central Committee.
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DINGEE-On Sunday, Oct. 3, 8.45 p.m., Arthur, youngest son of Peter M. and Elizabeth M. Dingee, in the 8th year of son of Febr 3. And Ellianeth M. Dingee, in the star year of Bis age.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral at their residence, 183 Clinton ave., Brooklyn, Tuesday, 5th inst., 4 p. m. Romains will be taken to Bedford, Westchester County, the following morning, B. Du An E.—Near Mercelith Village, Lake Winnipissence, N. H., on Saturday morning, 6ct. 2. H. ward, third son of the flev. Richard B. and Margaret A. Dunne, aged 20 years.

Funeral services at Trinity Church, Berzen Point, N. J., 44 11:19, Thesday morning, 6ct. 5. Train leaves foot of Liberty, st., New York, at 10.39. Interment at All Santas Memorial Churchyard, Newsrank, N. J.

HEGLEM AN.—On Sanday, Oct. 3. suddenly, William Hegeman.